#### +0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0+0 Prudence and Zabed.

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[Copyright, 1909, by T. C. McClure.] Prudence Smith and Zabed Winters met at spelling school and were impressed with each other. Zabed would have married her if the Widow Penrose hadn't mixed in. Bhe wanted the young man for herself, and in awasome whispers she imparted the informatten that Prudence Smith was knockkneed and would never be able to stand at a washtub or run up and down the cellar stairs. The young man was at once impressed. He ceased to spark Prudence on Sunday nights and assure her that he longed to jump over precipices for her sake, and of course she resented it. She went about with her chin in the air and naked for brought face to face, but they didn't no explanations, and so relations were strained for many long months. Then Zabed's mother found out what was the matter with him and set him right. The widow had lied. Zabed made it up with the girl. The doves came back again and turtled, a new date was set for the marriage, and Parmer Smith reached out his herny hand for a shake and said:

"Zabed, gol durn your buttons, you're gittin' the real thing, and you orter be the happlest man in Woodchuck county."

Zabed was for about two weeks. Then Deacon Gray, who was a widower and wanted Prudence for his second wife, gave up some information about Mabed. When he had sworn her to the most awful secrecy he confessed that Espaller Work as Practiced in European the young man had a live frog in his stomach and would probably go mad within two years and cut the throat of

and he went about with his chin in the air and was too proud to ask for an explanation. It was a year before one came. Then a lightning rod man one came. Then a lightning red man maidens, the apple or pear tree and stayed overnight at Smith's, and after the current bush lose their identity. supper he got to talking about frogs. Prudence made bold to ask him if he possess a distinctive decorative value. That healthy cerebral function was to be found only when activity of the local authorities or from the officials begin was properly influenced by normal in Franklin. side querters, and he answered that such a thing was absolutely impossible and beyond belief. Zabed Winters had probably swallowed a small fish abroad a trained from the probably swallowed as the probable and the pr bed probably swallowed a small fish abroad a trained fruit tree finds ats gars of the body. We are fully aware greatest usefulness. No garden is too of the fact that impulses may be startistic and caught. That settled the frog with a scant six inches or a foot best guestion, and Zabed was lavited to tween his yalk and his neighbor's favorably influence the activities of occurred Monday night between Panama

should marry them old Mrs. Snyder struck his trall. She was too old to would come up from the cornfleid look to Germany, France or England for some afternoon and find her dancing his inspiration and for his stock.-New all around the doorward and kicking as York Sun. high as a fence. That settled Zabed. He wanted Prudence, but he didn't want a dancing dervish. More coldness, more strained relations. It was a Three Prominent Oklahomans Had an full year before old Mrs. Snyder was proved a Har, and it took three months sheepakin of Zabed and then told him that Prudence Smith was deaf in the right ear, nearsighted in both eyes and would be tongue tied before the was two years elder. Zabed bedn't noticed the professional form the latter declined to reply, Baber two years elder. Zabed bedn't noticed the professional form the latter declined to reply, Baber two years elder. Zabed bedn't noticed the fight that followed two years elder. Zabed bedn't noticed the fight that followed the reason of the public hangings by saying that Constantinople was such a city ing that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption in September. Can be dead to the president to the war office.

A member of the court martial that sentenced these men to death explained the reason of the public hangings by saying that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the probability of rumor and traditions of corruption the probability of the public hangings by saying that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hangings by saying that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hangings by saying that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hangings by saying that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hanging that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hanging that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hanging that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hanging that Constantinople was such a city of rumor and traditions of corruption the public hanging that the war office.

PERFECT the deafness or blindness, but he be- knife cut. Raber was arrested. lieved in tin peddlers and at once grew frigid. Result, another year lost. Fate was still in the game, however,

two principals, had made up their minds that there would be no marriage she came loading around to do her duty. Farmer Smith and his daughter were in the village one day buying Winters appeared. He had eggs to sell Topics Taken Up At Playgorund Confor blekory shirting. The levers were



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speak. They thought of frogs and St. Vitus' dance and six tood feet and were turning away when Father Smith reached out one hand for his daughter and the other for Zabed and

"Say, are you two gol durned idiots?" "Um!" replied Prudence. "Um!" replied Zabed.

"If you wasn't you'd come along with me to the preacher and git married and hev this tarnashun thing settied to once and fur good and all." Prudence looked at Zabed.

Zabed looked at Prudence. Then they smiled and edged up nearer each other, and an hour later they were man and wife.

TRAINED TREES.

Countries.

An expert can make a vine of an an his wife if he had one. The frog had apple or a pear tree, a tree of a goose are regarded as an attack on the limjumped down Zabed's throat one day berry or current bush, or a snake of manuel Movement. A distinguished when he was drinking from the horse either. He will twist, pinch and fondle body of physicians from all parts of the country which included the Wilpoud, and, though thousands of in-ducements had been held out to him, the descendant of some mighty apple liam Osler, formerly of Johns Hopkins ducements had been held out to him, tree, with its gnarled branches and its University of Baltimore, and now re-

Those that are trained like vines, Seeing he was posted on the subject, says Country Life in America, certainly pointed, and Farmer Smith stopped from minimum acres is not a part of of disease chopping wood long enough to extend bility of the training of trees as a hobby has been very much overlooked.

"Zabed, you gol durned idiot, don't In Germany you can buy a tree to you know when you've got a good measure to fill in any space on your thing? Don't fool around any more." garden wall or house, just us we buy a Zabed didn't want to, but before it ready-made suit of clothes. While the had been decided which minister training of fruit trees has become popular only within 10 years, the Formobstboumschulen, or schools where trees are trained, are now to be found everymarry, but not too old to utter a warn- where in Germany. There are commer-She fold him right straight out that Prodence Smith snored like a steam engine, that she had six toes on her right foot and only four on her left, that she had had St. Vitus' dance when a baby and that it was sure to come lack on her some day. It might not had some come lack on her some day. It might not had a serious way, and there is almost no had some come lack on her some day. It might not had a serious way, and there is almost no had some literature of the lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her some lack on her some day. It might not had some lack on her lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way, and there is almost no her lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way, and there is almost no had lack on her some lack on her lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way, and there is almost no had lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way, and there is almost no had lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way, and there is almost no had lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way, and there is almost no had lack of trained fruit trees in the canal workers, and many revolver and rifle shots were freely used. Electrician Abbott was killed by a blow on the head, and the colored American was killed by a rifle built. Stones and other missiles were freely used. Electrician Abbott was killed by a blow on the head, and the colored American like how on the lack of trained fruit trees in a serious way. ing for the benefit of a young man cial nurseries where experts in earlier back on her some day. It might not be sequently one who wished to take this a year after marriage that Zabed work up as a hobby will be forced to

> ENGAGED IN FIST FIGHT. Exciting Mix-up.

Tulsa, Okla, May 13.—Pliny Soper, the revolution of April 13. longer to make up and set another formerly national Republican committee

which the names of Governor Haskell by the masses. It was desired to im and when everybody, including the and other Oklahomans have been connected, began taking testimony yesterday. Many witnesses are here from other states.

IMPORTANCE OF ATHLETICS.

vention.

"Atheltics for Girls" occupied the fore- in their deaths. One of the condemned noon session today of the annual con-gress of the Playground Association of priests he had talked with on the day America. The first report was of spec- of the so-called mutiny and the days inl value to those interested in play- following had approved of his action. grounds or other social legislation, ther State or municipal becaus of the complete plan suggested for securing egislative recognition. This afternoon trip of inspection will be made to he several playgrounds of the city and

ACTOR DODGES JUR DUTY.

Pleads Old Act of Parliament and British Court Lets It Go at That,

London, May 13 .- An actor, who was aummoned to serve on the grand jury here on Tuesday, pleaded that under an old act of Parliament which has never been repealed, an actor is "a rogue and vagabond," and is therefore not qualified to serve as a juryman.

The court held that the plea was good and the actor was excused

#### CABINET CUTS **EXPENSES**

Executive Chiefs are Planning Economy.

COMMITTEES WILL STUDY

Carefully All Estimates-Taft Will Give All Assistance Possible-Other Brief Story of Day's Doings in Washington.

Washington, May 13 .- The heads of he cabinet departments are at work a plans for economy. President Taft will assist as much as possible in keeping down the expenses of the govern-ment. In most of the departments the bureau and the division chief's are at work on their estimates under instructions to out everything. After the es timates are made a new system of sup ervision will be tried. Sub-committees composed of members of the Cabinet will study the estimates before they are sent to the Secretary of the Treasury for submission to Congress. President Taft belives that the War De partment expenses can be cut \$10,000-000. The cost of the navy also will be reduced, and Secretary Meyer is now working on plans,

Dr. Vaughan Criticises Mind Cures. At the opening session of the twentyfourth annual meeting of the Associa tion of American Physicians here, Dr. Victor C. Vaughan of Ann Arbor, Mich., president of the organization, in his annual address, made assertions which tempt to apply it to the treatment of disease, he asserted, had led to the deless, marked atavism. Medical observa- train. The party's name was not dition and study, he declared, had shown vuiged and no information concerning that healthy cerebral function was to the onse could be obtained, either from

Porto Rico Bill Presented. sected that a meeting of the Commit-

Mutineers Strung Up in Public as Object

Lesson to Other Plotters. Constantinople, May 13.—Constantino-ple witnessed another batch of executions yesterday morning, when twentyfour mutineers of the army and navy were hanged in public within the city limits. This makes a total of thirty-

that had the announcement been made A federal grand jury to reinvestigate that these men had been executed in the Muskogee town lot frauds with private it would not have been believed press the people with the fact that the guilty had been punished, and had the hangings not been public the people would have thought that the condemned men had saved themselves by bribing officials, or that the statement of their execution was nothing more than a po

litical lie. Priests prayed with the condemned men shortly before they were taken to Pittsburg, May 13.—Reports on the places of execution, and commented "State Laws," "Athelties for Boya" and upon the evil deds which had resulted

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man H. Morrill-Arrest Made in This City by Officer Rowe, But Police Maintain Secrecy.

Concord, N. H., May 13 .- A man wunt-

FREE FIGHT IN CANAL ZONE.

come around and make up. He got a house on him, and the turtledoves and train it against a lattice. While sang soft and low, a new date was aptobal, an American, and a colored man, also an American, were killed. The po Senator Depew has introduced a bill at Chistobal in an effort to arrest an for the relief of the civil government escaped prisoner. They were mobbed of Porto Rico in a manner suggested and pelted by West Indians, and finally by President Taft in a special mea-sage sent to the Congress. It is ex-disturbance of the peace. Last night a peeted that a meeting of the Commit-tees on Pacific Islands and Porto Rico will be held at an early date in order will be held at an early date in order will be held at an early date in order attempt, it is alleged, to find those to procure indorsement of the proposed who had maltreated their comrades egislation and this action will be ta- earlier in the day. They came into colken by Congress at the present session. Haton with the canal workers, and many which penetrated the brain. The riot became so threatening that all places of business were quickly closed, but eventually the invaders were driven off. Both the American and Panama authorities are holding an investigation to place the responsibility.

> WARSHIPS GOING TO NEW YORK. All on the Atlantic for the Hudson Celebration.

Washington, May 13.—President Taft yesterday told General Stewart L. Wood-ford of New York that all of the warformerly national Republican committee four of the men yesterday were hang- ships in commission on the Atlantic fate. Things had run smoothly to man from the old Indian Territory, and ed near the sultan's palace, eight at coast would be sent to New York during within a fortnight of the date when a James Huckleberry, attorney for Gov- the marine barracks, eight in the Djinzi the week of the Hudson tercentennia tin peddler came along and bought a ernor Haskell, engaged in a first fight Meidan quarter of Stamboul and four celebration in September. General Wood-A member of the court martial that but Mr. Taft said be probably would

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# WASHINGTON NOTES

Geological Survey Is to Explore High Peaks, Defiles and Canyons in a Search for All the Water Power Site Available.

Washington, D. C., May 13 .- As soon as the weather permits, experts from the geological survey will start from Washington for the mountain fastnesses of the West to explore high peaks, detiles and canyons in a search of all the water power sites avalable on the public domain.

This will be done in accordance with the order issued a few days ago by secretary Ballinger at the direction of President Taft, who has announced that he will do all in his power to continue the Roosevelt policy for the conservation of natural resources. It will be a con- in as a senator and tell what he said I found little anti-Japanese sentiment certed effort on the part of the governing debate. Moreover, his remarks were this feeling has disappeared in the east, ment to obtain information as to the intended to assist Vice-president Sher. The restlessness in the southern prov-

MISSING SINCE APRIL 10 great tracts of land that had been withdrawn by President Roosevelt for the consideration, to explain Aldrich's state-Mystery Surrounds The Death of Nor- a statement throng Chief Forester Pin- change chot that he believed in conservation. The innovation of a newcomer joining. Then came the announcement that the in the game in the first-10 minutes of interior department was going to earry his membership was somewhat surpris-

Franklin, N. H., May 13,-The father this announcement of policy and the took the floor for a formal speech in and dister of Norman H. Morrill, the action of the secretary of the interior favor of protective tariff on lumber and in restoring to entry the power site long staple cotton, in behalf of the inyear old Franklin man who disap withdrawals is explained by the admin- terests of his state and the South genpeared suddenly April 10, found his istration by stating that the land should erally, body floating within a few feet of the not have been withdrawn until the denothing could prevail upon him to jump out.

Well, where is the young girl, no matter how her heart tunks with love, who is going to marry a young man with a live and growing frog in his stomach? She can't be found. She wan't found in this case. Prudence Smith cooled off on Zabed Winters, and he want about with his chin in

of water power sites. say that they want to know conditions tions generally in Kores are encouraging, from the emperor. before they make any statement as to the contemplated legislation.

The present administration is proceed ing on the theory that if Congress wants to conserve the water power sites of the public domain, it must pass a law. The lands thus valuable will be withdrawn from entry as fast as they are classified, Colon, May 13,-In a conflict which to law, it will be taken as an indica-

One of the most striking features of the debate in teh Senate on the tariff bill, so far as it has gone, is the support which is being given to "Bos" Aldrich by his young colleagues on the finance committee.

As always happens during consideration of a great subject like this, which affects every line of business and practically every class of wages, new leaders are bring developed.

One would naturally suppose that such veterans as Hale and Burrows, both of whom have had previous experience in the preparation of tariff bills, in the House as well as in the Senate, would beforemost in coming to the assistance

debate as yet, except to interject objections to proposed rates affecting certain of their home industries. It is the "kids" of the committee-Smoot of Utah and Flint of California-who are niways neady to rise in defense of the bill as reported to the Senate and are prepared with reasons for the changes that have been made from the House provisions or from the prevailing Dingley rates Both of these men were appointed to the finance committee only at the beginning of the present session. In the case of Smoot, it was quit a change from being the hunted Mormon "apostle," fighting for the right to bold his seat, to the position of taking a leading part in a

tariff discussion. But both Smoot and Flint have apparently been giving close attention to the mass of information that has been ubmitted to the finance committee on the various schedules. They have acquired a vast amount of knowledge and hey are quick to impart it to their colleagues when the accasion offers. Smoot, it appears, not only knows a great deal about the chemical schedule, which includes a number of articles which go into the preparation of fertilitiers and other matters of general use, but he is an expert on wool and woolens. He has been a woolen manufacturer and he started the other day to tell the Senate all about it, from the time the wool was taken from the sheep's back up to the time it was made into a suit of clothes. He got flagged, however, and had to withhold his voluminous informaion until later.

Flint and Smoot, both, had absorbed lot of knowledge about cotton cloth and were ready to tell the Senate just why the rates are predicated upon so many threads to an inch, but inasmuch as that subject was only up casually. they had to defer their explanation They did, however, produce the interesting information that the changes in these chedules had been uniformly recommended by the government treasury ex-perts and were not the result of representations by manufacturers. But when the laurel is awarded to

the most precocious of new senators, it will rest on the brow of Hon. Duncan U. Fletcher of Fiorida. It used to be the rale that a new senator should be mum for a couple of sessions. Within the past few years hot-blooded radicals have asserted their speech-making rights in a month or so from the time of their installation. Fletcher, who took his seat a few days ago, bents them all. Opposite pages of the Congressional Rec ord state the fact that he was sworn

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The senators were trying to reach an agreement on the procedure to be observed in considering the tariff bill by paragraphs for final action, subject to reconsideration. Aldrich stated the proposition plainly enough, but in the confusion a number of senators were unable to hear and the matter was of such importance that the importance that the importance that the present administration stands on that all-importance that they took great pains to get a thorough understanding of it before giving consent. While they were tast subject. The recent restoration of great tracts of land that had been with great tracts of land that had been with reached to tell the partiamentary status of the first paragraphs. The senators were trying to reach an agreement on the procedure to be observed in considering the tariff bill by paragraphs for final action, subject to reconsideration. Aldrich stated the proposition plainly enough, but in the confusion a number of senators were unable to hear and the matter was of such importance that they took great pains to get a thorough understanding of it before giving consent. While they were tast subject. The recent restoration of great tracts of land that had been with great tracts of land that had been with

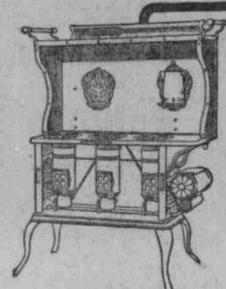
## HARVARD'S PRESIDENT

Kaiser Will Bestow High Honor on Dr. Charles W. Eliot.

Cambridge, Mass., May 13.—Following closely upon the bestowal Tuesdty night upon Charles W. Ellot, president of Harvard university of the Japanese decora-tion of the Order of the Rising Sun, first class, came the announcement yesambassador to the United States that some time before May 10 the order of the Crown of Prussis, first class, will be conferred upon Harvard's retiring president by Emperor William. Count Bernstorff said that his present

with the Taft idea of the conservation The Report of the Vice-president Genly for the purpose of attending the din-ner of the Cosmopolitan club of Har-Whether the Taft bill will be the same as that recommended by Roosevelt dent general of Korea has just returned to the capital for an official visit to denounced the water power trust, it is impossible to learn. Government officials an interview yesterday he said: "Condi."

Seoul, Korea, May 13.—The vice-president varid lastnight, but to acquaint Dr. the capital for an official visit to the capital for an official by Prof. Hugo Munsterberg called upon Dr. Eliot and conveyed the message



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